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WHOLESALE

CATALOGUE
OF

R. B. PARSONS & CO.

BROADWAY, VILLAGE OF FLUSHING,

QUEENS CO., N. Y.

FOR FALL OF 1874.

TO THE TRADE.

The large and well grown stock which we offer this season is on the grounds formerly occupied by the firm of PARSONS & Co., (now dissolved,) in the village of Flushing. All orders, whether given in person or by mail, shall have our most careful attention, both in the digging and packing.

The prices are for the quantities named; for smaller numbers, a discount of one-third from the General Catalogue rates will be made to the Trade.

While we shall gladly furnish special varieties, so far as may be in our power, we desire it to be understood that these prices are meant to include a well proportioned general assortment. Lists of special varieties, not plentiful with us, will be filled at such a discount from retail rates, as the nature of the order will warrant.

The prices named are for the trees and plants. According to custom, the simple *cost* of the boxes or bundles will be added. We make no charge for cartage to the depot in New-York.

We assume no responsibility after the shipment of an order, while we pack in the best manner, and forward according to directions given us, in default of these, according to our best judgment.

Access to our grounds can most easily be had from the Bridge-street Station of the Flushing Rail-Road, whence it is but a short walk to our office.

TERMS—CASH.

☞ Special attention is invited to our stock of

CHINESE MAGNOLIAS.

PURPLE BEECH,	CHINESE AZALEA,
RHODODENDRON,	JUNIPER,
CAMELLIA,	ARBOR VITÆ,
ROSES,	RARER EVERGREENS, and the
GHENT AZALEA,	CRATÆGUS PYRACANTHA.

ORNAMENTAL DEPARTMENT.

ROSES.

These are all on their own roots, and are the finest we have ever grown. They are one year old, unusually strong, vigorous and well rooted, and entirely true to name. We invite the inspection of buyers to this part of our stock, as well as to every other portion.

For selections by the purchaser, see prefatory remarks on the opposite page.

		PRICES.	
		Per 100.	Per 1000.
Hybrid Perpetual.			
	First Class,	\$15 00	\$120 00
	Second Selection, good plants,	12 00	95 00
Bourbon, Tea, China and Noisette.			
	First Class,	12 00	100 00
	Second Class,	10 00	80 00
Moss Roses,		25 00	
	Perpetual,	30 00	
Climbing Roses,		15 00	120 00
Tree Roses,		125 00	

DECIDUOUS TREES.

		Per 10.	Per 100.
Abele,	5 to 6 feet,	\$3 00	
Alder,	3 to 5 "	2 50	
Almond,	6 to 8 "	5 00	
Amelanchier,	2 "	2 00	
Ash, European,	2 to 3 "		\$12 00
	Flowering, 1 to 2 "	2 00	
Apple, Double flowering,	8 "	3 00	
	3 to 4 "	2 50	
Beech, European,	6 to 8 "	5 00	
	Fern leaved, 1 to 1½ "	7 50	
	2½ to 3 "	11 00	
	3 to 4 "	17 50	
Purple, Rivers' dark,	2 to 3 "	6 50	50 00
	3 to 4 "	7 50	65 00
	4 to 5 "	10 00	90 00
	5 to 6 "	12 50	
	6 to 8 "	17 50	

The genuine purple, grafted from our standard trees and very superior to the seedlings, often sold for purple, but not genuine.

Birch, Common,	4 to 5 feet,	2 50
Catalpa, syringæfolia,	10 "	3 50

			Per 10.	Per 100.
Chestnut, American,	4 to 6 feet,		\$3 50	
Spanish,	1½ to 2 "		2 00	
Cypress, Chinese, or Glyptostrobus,	2 to 3 "		6 00	
	3 to 4 "		7 50	\$60 00
	4 to 6 "		11 00	
Deciduous American,	4 to 5 "		5 00	
Dogwood,	4 to 5 "		2 50	
Elm, American,	7 to 8 "		5 00	30 00
	5 to 7 "		3 50	25 00
	8 to 10 "		5 00	
European,	1 to 2 "		2 00	
Hornbeam, European,	1 to 1½ "			15 00
Horse Chestnut, White,	4 to 5 "		5 00	
	6 to 7 "		6 00	
Judas Tree, American, 2 years,			1 50	10 00
Japan,	1 to 1½ "		4 00	
	1½ to 2 "		6 00	
Kentucky Coffee Tree,	4 to 5 "		5 00	
Kolreuteria,	2 to 3 "		3 50	
Laburnum,	3 to 4 "		3 00	
	4½ to 5½ "		5 00	
Larch, European, transplanted,	4 to 6 "		5 00	
	6 to 8 "		6 50	
Linden, European,	2 to 3 "		2 00	
Red-twigged,	3 to 4 "		3 50	
	6 to 8 "		6 00	
American,	2 "			10 00
Liquidambar, (Sweet Gum),	3 to 4 "		3 00	
	4 to 5 "		4 00	
Magnolia, conspicua,	1 to 2 "		9 00	75 00
very handsome,	2 to 2½ "		10 00	90 00
strong,	2½ to 3½ "		12 50	110 00
	5 "		25 00	
glauca,	1½ to 2½ "		3 50	
	2½ to 3 "		5 50	
gracilis,	1 to 1½ "		7 00	
Halleana,	1 to 2 "		15 00	
	2½ to 3½ "		25 00	
Lenné,	1 to 1½ "		15 00	
	2 to 2½ "		20 00	
	4 to 5 "		30 00	
macrophylla,	1½ to 2 "		7 50	
norbetiana,		12 inches,	9 00	
	2 to 2½ feet,		10 00	75 00
	3 to 3½ "		12 50	
	3½ to 4½ "		15 00	
soulangiana,	1 to 2 "		9 00	
	2 to 2½ "		10 00	75 00
	3 to 3½ "		12 50	
	4 to 5 "		17 50	
striata,	2 to 3 "		10 00	
Thurberii,	1 to 1½ "		15 00	
	2 to 2½ "		25 00	
tripetala,	3 to 4 "		5 00	

Our Chinese Magnolias, of the different sorts, are very handsome—quite the best we have ever grown. Buyers will find them uncommonly well-rooted, and thus more likely to thrive.

Maple, English,			3 50	
Norway,	3 to 5 feet,		3 00	25 00
	6 to 8 "		5 00	50 00

			Per 10.	Per 100.
Maple, Scarlet,	5 to 6	feet,	\$4 00	\$30 00
Silver leaved,	6 to 8	"	3 50	25 00
	8 to 10	"	6 00	40 00
	12 to 15	"	10 00	80 00
	15 to 18	"	12 50	100 00
Striped bark,	7 to 9	"	6 00	
Sugar,	7 to 9	"	6 00	50 00
Sycamore,	3 to 4	"	4 00	35 00
Madeira Nut,	8 to 10	"	5 00	
Mountain Ash, European,	3 to 4	"	3 00	25 00
	6 to 8	"	4 00	
	8 to 10	"	6 00	
Weeping,			8 00	
Oak, English,	1½ to 2	feet,	1 50	10 00
	2½ to 3	"	2 00	15 00
	6 to 8	"	5 00	40 00
Chestnut,	3 to 4	"	3 00	
Pyramidal,	4 to 6	"	10 00	
Pin,	2 to 3	"	2 00	
	5 to 6	"	4 00	
Turkey,	2 to 3	"	2 00	
pedunculata,	3 to 4	"	3 00	
Poplar, Balsam,	6 to 8	"	3 00	
Lombardy,	8 to 9	"	3 00	
Purple Fringe,	3 to 4	"	2 50	
	4 to 5	"	4 00	
Tulip Tree,	4 to 5	"	3 00	
	6 to 7	"	5 00	
Virgilia lutea,	10 to 12	"	8 00	
Willow, common weeping,	5 to 7	"	2 00	15 00
do.	7 to 9	"	4 00	30 00
Ring-leaved,			2 50	
New American weeping,			8 00	
Rosemary,			8 00	

DECIDUOUS SHRUBS.

		Per 10.	Per 100.
Almond, Dwarf rose, double flowering,		\$3 00	
White		3 00	
Althæa, Double varieties,		1 50	
Variegated leaved,		3 00	
Amorpha, of sorts,		1 50	
Azalea, Ghent, grafted sorts, fine,		7 50	\$75 00
stronger,		10 00	100 00
amœna, quite hardy, fine,		5 00	40 00
stronger,		7 50	
Berberry, purple, true,		2 50	
sinensis,		2 00	
nepalensis,		2 00	
Callicarpa, Americana,		1 50	
Ceanothus americanus,		1 50	
Calycanthus,		2 50	
2 years,		1 25	8 00
Chionanthus, 2 years,		2 00	15 00
Chimonanthus,		2 50	
Colutea,		1 50	

	Per 10.	Per 100.
Corehorus japonica,	\$1 50	
Crataegus pyracantha,	1 50	\$10 00
Dentzia crenata,	1 50	
Fortunii,	1 50	
purpurea, fl. pl.,	2 50	
scabra,	1 50	
gracilis,	1 50	10 00
Euonymus europeus,	1 50	
nana erecta,	3 00	
Exochorda grandiflora,	10 00	
Forsythia fortunei,	1 50	
suspensa,	1 50	
viridissima,	1 50	
Hydrangea, Empress Eugenie,	2 50	
Hortensis,	2 50	
paniculata grandiflora,	2 50	20 00
larger,	3 50	30 00
quercifolia,	3 50	
Honeysuckle, tartarian,	1 50	
" speciosa,	1 50	
xylosteum,	1 50	
Lilac, Charles X.,	1 50	
common white,	1 50	
" purple,	1 50	
Chinese,	1 50	
" White,	2 00	
chionanthus leaved,	2 00	
grandiflora,	2 00	
Persian White,	2 50	
Pres. Massart,	2 50	
Princess Camille de Rohan,	2 50	
Verschaffelt,	2 50	
Pæony, Tree, fine,	12 00	
herbaceous,	2 00	12 00
Pavia, macrostachya (dwarf horse chestnut),	3 50	30 00
Philadelphus, coronarius,	2 00	
Syringo, five other sorts,	1 50	
Privet, Californian,	1 50	10 00
Pyrus japonica,	1 50	10 00
" larger,	2 00	15 00
" alba,	2 00	15 00
" aurea,	3 00	
" new white,	3 00	
Prunus, triloba, double red,	2 00	
Rhamnus, catharticus,	1 50	
<i>Buckthorn,</i>		
Rhodora canadensis,	5 00	
Rhus glabra laciniata,	6 00	
Rhododendron. See page 10.		
Roses. See page 3.		
Scotch Broom,	2 00	
Snowberry, pink fruited,	1 50	
white "	1 50	
Spiræas, in large variety,	1 50	
Tamarix africana,	1 50	
Viburnum opulus,	2 00	
Weigelia, in large variety,	1 50	
nivea,	2 50	

EVERGREENS.

We seek, by frequent root pruning and transplanting, to secure well rooted plants.

		Per 10.	Per 100.
Arbor Vita, American,			
Thuja occidentalis,	9 to 12 inches,		\$5 00
	1½ to 2 feet,	\$1 50	10 00
	2 to 2½ "	1 75	12 00
	2½ to 3 "	2 00	15 00
	3 to 4 "	3 00	25 00
	4 to 5 "	4 00	
compacta, (Parsons'),	1 to 1½ "	2 00	
	\$150 per 1000, 1½ to 2 "	2 50	18 00
	2 to 2½ "	4 00	
globosa,	9 to 12 inches,	2 00	
glauca,	1½ to 2 feet,	3 00	
Hoveyii,	1 to 1½ "	2 00	
	\$150 per 1000, 1½ to 2 "	2 50	18 00
	2 to 2½ "	4 00	
minima,	1 to 1½ "	4 00	
monstrosa,	2 "	2 50	
plicata,	2½ to 3½ "	3 00	
pyramidata,	1 foot,	2 00	
	2 to 3 feet,	3 50	
	4 to 5 "	6 00	
	5 to 6 "	8 00	
siberian,	\$80 per 1000, 9 to 12 "	1 50	10 00
	\$100 per 1000, 1 to 1½ "	2 00	12 00
	150 " 1½ to 2 "	2 50	18 00
	2 to 2½ "	3 50	25 00
	2½ to 3 "	5 00	35 00
	3 to 3½ "	6 50	
Tom Thumb,	9 to 12 inches,	2 50	
Biota aurea, golden,	1 to 1½ feet,	4 00	
elegantissima,	9 to 12 inches,	4 00	
nepalensis,	2 to 2½ feet,	4 00	
	3 to 3½ "	6 00	
Buxus arborescens,	1½ to 2 "	4 00	
variegata,		4 00	
Cephalotaxus,	1½ to 2 feet,	5 00	40 00
Cunninghamia,	1 to 1½ "	4 00	
Cyprus, Lawson's,		5 00	
Hemlock,			
Abies canadensis,	1 to 1½ feet,	2 00	15 00
	1½ to 2 "	2 50	20 00
	2 to 2½ "	3 00	25 00
	2½ to 3 "	4 00	30 00
	3 to 4 "	5 00	35 00
	4 to 5 "	6 00	45 00
macrophylla,	1 to 1½ "	6 00	
	2 to 2½ "	10 00	
weeping,	1 foot,	8 00	
	1½ to 2 feet,	12 00	

		Per 10.	Per 100.	
Juniper, glauca,	2 to 2½ feet,	\$5 00		
	6 to 7 "	7 50		
	Irish, 1 to 1½ "	2 00	\$15 00	
	1½ to 2 "	2 50	20 00	
	2½ to 3 "	3 50	28 00	
	3 to 3½ "	5 00	40 00	
	4 to 5 "	7 00		
	weeping, 1 to 1½ "	7 50		
	3 to 4 "	12 50		
	sabina vera,	4 00	
	pyramidalis,	5 feet,	5 00	
suecica,	1½ to 2 "	2 50		
	2 to 3 "	3 50		
Pine, Austrian,	1½ to 2 feet,	2 50		
	4 to 5 "	5 00		
	cembra, (Swiss Stone Pine,) 1 to 1½ "			
	1½ to 2 "	7 50		
	2 to 3 "	10 00		
	3 to 4 "	15 00		
	excelsa, 1½ to 2 feet,		6 00	
	Corsican, (laricio,)	2½ to 3½ feet,	3 00	
		5 to 6 "	5 00	
	mughus,	1 to 1½ "	6 00	
		2 to 2½ "	10 00	
	" compacta,	1 to 1½ "	12 50	
	monspeliensis,	4 to 5 "	5 00	
	strobis, white,	3 to 4 "	4 00	
		4 to 5 "	5 00	35 00
		5 to 6 "	6 00	40 00
	" compacta,	1 to 1½ "	12 50	
	" pumila,	1½ to 2 "	12 50	
	sylvestris,			
	Scotch fir,	1½ to 2 feet,		
		3 to 4 "	4 00	30 00
		6 to 8 "	6 00	
Podocarpus, japonica,	1 to 1½ "	4 00		
Retinospora, obtusa,	1 to 1½ "	5 00		
	1½ to 2 "	7 50		
	pisifera,	1 to 1½ "	4 00	
		1½ to 2½ "	5 00	
	plumosa,	1 to 1½ "	4 00	
	" aurea,	6 to 9 inches,	4 00	30 00
		1 foot,	6 00	50 00
	argentea,	1 to 1½ feet,	7 50	
		6 inches,	4 00	
	Reedi,	2 to 2½ feet,	4 00	
Silver Fir,	<i>Picea balsamea,</i>	2 to 3 "	3 00	
	" cephalonica,	1½ to 2 "	12 50	
	" cilicica,	1 to 1½ "	10 00	
	" pectinata, (European,)	1 to 1½ "	3 00	
	" " compacta,	1½ to 2 "	15 00	
	" " pendula,	1½ to 2 "	15 00	
	" pichta, (Siberian,)	1 to 1½ "	10 00	
	" hudsonica, dwarf,	6 to 9 inches,	12 50	
		1 to 2 feet,		
	" nordmann's,	1 to 1½ "	10 00	
	2 to 2½ "	20 00		

		Per 10.	Per 100.
Spruce,			
Abies compacta,	1 to 1½ feet,	\$15 00	
conica,	9 to 12 inches,	5 00	\$40 00
	1 to 1½ feet,	7 50	60 00
	1½ to 2 "	10 00	
	2 to 2½ "	15 00	
	2½ to 3½ "	20 00	
diffusa,	1 foot,	15 00	
elata,	1½ to 2 feet,	6 00	
Gregoriana,		10 00	75 00
do.		15 00	
do.		20 00	
inverta pendula,		15 00	
pendula, (Wales,)		15 00	
white,	1 to 1½ feet,	2 50	
	2½ to 3 "	3 50	
morinda,	1 to 1½ "	4 00	
Menziezii,	2 to 3 "	8 00	
Norway,	1 to 1½ "		
	1½ to 2 "	3 00	25 00
	2½ to 3 "	5 00	35 00
	4 to 5 "	10 00	75 00
	5 to 6 "	15 00	
	6 to 7 "	20 00	
monstrosa,		10 00	

Our Spruces are, from frequent transplanting and root-pruning, very well rooted.

orientalis,	1 to 1½ feet,	10 00	75 00
	1½ to 2 "	12 50	
	2 to 2½ "	15 00	
pyramidalis,	1 to 1½ "	5 00	
pumila,		15 00	
"		20 00	
Thuopsis, dolobrata,	1 foot,	6 00	
Yew, Taxus aurea,	1 to 1½ feet,	10 00	80 00
	2 to 2½ "	15 00	
elegantissima,	6 to 9 inches,	5 00	
erecta,	1 to 1½ feet,	5 00	40 00
	2 to 3 "	8 00	60 00
	3 to 4 "	12 50	

EVERGREEN SHRUBS.

	Per 10.	Per 100.
Cotoneaster,	\$5 00	
Daphne cneorum,	2 50	
Evergreen Thorn,	1 50	\$10 00
Euonymus japonica,	3 00	
Kalmia latifolia,	5 00	
Mahonia aquifolia,	2 50	
japonica,	5 00	

RHODODENDRONS.

	Per 10.	Per 100.
Catawbiense,		
Seedlings, 12 inches,		\$50 00
	2 to 2½ feet,	\$12 00
Hardy grafted varieties, with names and distinct colors, from white and red to purple, many sorts,	15 to 20 inches,	75 00
	18 to 24 “	100 00
Full, budded plants,	18 to 24 “	150 00

CAMELLIAS.

The price of Camellias cannot easily be regulated by their height, for our aim is to encourage breadth and bushiness rather than height. Those who are within reach should always see them; but we should send very fine plants at the following rates :

	Per 100.
Double White, Fimbriata, and other worked sorts, 9 to 12 inches, without buds,	\$50
12 to 18 inches, without buds,	75
“ “ with buds,	100 to 125
18 to 24 “ without buds,	125
“ “ with buds,	150 to 200
Larger plants, with buds, each \$2.50 to \$5.00.	
Candidissima, with buds, at same rates.	
Colored sorts, 12 to 15 inches, without buds,	35
15 to 20 “ “	50
“ “ with buds,	75 to 100
20 to 24 “ without buds,	100
“ “ with buds,	125 to 150
Candidissima, without buds, at the same rates.	

CHINESE AZALEAS.

We offer of these a very fine stock of handsome, well-grown, vigorous plants, remarkably well-rooted.

We can furnish—

	Per 100.
Fine varieties, our choice, 9 to 12 inches,	\$35 to \$50
“ “ grafted,	50 to 75
Nice plants, a fine selection, when left to us, including Flag of truce, A. Borsig, Souvenir de Prince Albert, &c.,	50
Larger plants, of the best sorts, \$1 to \$3 each.	

CLIMBING PLANTS.

	Per 10.	Per 100.
Akebia quinata,	\$4 00	
Ampelopsis hederacea,	2 00	\$15 00
pubescens,	3 00	
Clematis , azurea grandiflora,	3 50	
cœrulea,	2 00	
Helene,	4 00	
Prince of Wales,	6 00	
rubella,	6 00	
viticella,	1 50	
Sophie,	4 00	
flammula,	2 00	
Jackmanni,	6 00	

The new and rare English sorts in quantity; names and trade prices of which will be furnished on application.

	Per 10.	Per 100.
Honeysuckle , in variety,	\$2 00	
striped monthly,		\$12 50
Ivy , 2 and 3 years,	2 00	
Jasminum nudiflorum,	2 00	
officinalis,	2 00	
Wistaria sinensis,	2 50	12 50
japonica alba,	5 00	
magnifica,	3 00	

PLANTS REQUIRING PROTECTION.

	Per 10.	Per 100.
Eleagnus , reflexa variegata,	\$3 00	
Euonymus , japonica,	2 50	
variegata aurea,	2 50	
argentea,	2 50	
Gardenia , florida,	2 50	\$20 00
fortunii,	4 00	
radicans,	2 50	
Jasminum , grandiflorum,	3 00	
Laurus cerasus,	4 00	
Magnolia Campbellii, a new and very superb variety from India,	15 00	
exoniensis,	7 50	
Nerium oleander,	4 00	
Olea rubra,	4 00	
europæa angustifolia,	3 00	
latifolia,	3 00	
ilicifolia,	4 00	
Pittosporum ,	3 00	
Rhododendron , very fine worked sorts, valuable for conservatories,	18 00	
ponticum, in pots, 1 foot,	3 50	2) 1)
Roses , fine Teas, &c. See page 3.		

FRUIT DEPARTMENT.

		Per 100.
Apple Trees , leading sorts, 1st class,	5 to 7 feet,	\$25 00
Pears , standards, 1st class,		50 00
	2d class,	35 00
	Dwarfs,	30 00
Cherries ,		30 00
Plums ,		35 00
Quinces ,	1½ to 2½ feet,	15 00
	3 to 4 "	30 00
Currants , black English,		\$5 00
	Cherry, 1 year.	5 00
	2 years,	7 00
	Dutch red, 2 years,	4 00
	white,	5 00
	Versailles, 1 year,	5 00
	Victoria, 2 years,	4 00
Gooseberries , American seedling,		6 00

Per 10.

Hardy Grapes.		
Adirondack,	\$2 00	
Agawam,	2 50	
Allen's Hybrid,	2 50	
Clinton,	2 00	
Concord,	2 00	
Creveling,	2 00	
Delaware,	2 00	\$15 00
Diana,	2 00	15 00
Hartford,	2 00	
Iona,	2 00	
Isabella,	2 00	
Ives,	2 00	
Rebecca,	2 00	
Salem,	2 00	
Walter,	2 00	

HEDGE PLANTS.

	Per 100.	Per 1000.
Crataegus pyracantha ,	\$10 00	\$75 00
Privet , California, 2 to 3 feet,	10 00	75 00
Pyrus japonica , 2 to 3 feet,	10 00	75 00
Arbor Vitæ , see page 7.		
Hemlock , see page 7.		